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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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RESPONSE TO THE NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated October 19, 2005 and the Notice mailed on February 23, 2006, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this response.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this response.